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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	Examiner:	J. Michalski
O'Neill, et al.)		
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Serial No.: 09/600,206)	Art Unit:	2615
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Filed: November 13, 2000)	Confirmation No.	7913
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For: Audio Signal Processors)	Attorney Docket No.:	31652/04000

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated March 22, 2006, Applicants hereby respond as follows. The shortened period for response expired June 22, 2006, accordingly Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time. A check in the amount of \$450.00 for the extension of time is enclosed herewith. The extended due date for this response therefore is August 22, 2006. It is believed that there is no additional fee associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment, however, **should the Commissioner decide that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to deposit account number 03-0172.**